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Minutes from the Special City Council Meeting on Thursday May 18, 2023, at 6:31 pm in the Auditorium are as follows:

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Laflamme, Frank N., President	At-Large Councilor	Present
Roy, Gerard (Jerry) A.	At-Large Councilor	Absent
Tillotson, James K.	At-Large Councilor	Present via Zoom
Zygarowski, Robert J.	At-Large Councilor	Present
McAuliffe, Joel D.	Ward 1 Councilor	Present via Zoom 6:45
Brooks, Shane D.	Ward 2 Councilor	Absent
Lopez, Delmarina	Ward 3 Councilor	Present
Balakier, George A.	Ward 4 Councilor	Present via Zoom 6:42
Krampits, Fred T.	Ward 5 Councilor	Present via Zoom
Dobosz, Derek Gregory	Ward 6 Councilor	Absent
Courchesne, William C.	Ward 7 Councilor	Absent
Labrie, Gary R.	Ward 8 Councilor	Present
Pniak-Costello, Mary Elizabeth	Ward 9 Councilor	Present

Meeting was called to order at 6:31.

--Motion made by Councilor Labrie to close public input and return to the regular order of business. Motion passed by a unanimous roll call vote. Councilors Roy, McAuliffe; Brooks, Balakier, Dobosz and Courchesne absent.

--Motion made by Councilor Labrie to approve Joshua Clark, Carissa Lisee, Michael Sarnelli, Stephen Morneau, and Katie Collins-Kalbaugh. Motion defeated by a roll call vote of 6 yes, 1 no. Councilor Lopez voting no, Councilors Roy, McAuliffe, Brooks, Balakier, Dobosz and Courchesne absent.

--Motion made by Councilor Lopez to separate each candidate. Motion defeated by a roll call vote of 5 no, 2 yes. Councilors Lopez and Pniak-Costello voting yes. Councilors Roy, McAuliffe, Brooks, Balakier, Dobosz and Courchesne absent.

--Motion made by Councilor Pniak-Costello to recess for 5 minutes at 6:40. Motion passed by a roll call vote of 6 yes, 1 no. Councilor Lopez voting no. Councilors Roy, McAuliffe, Brooks, Balakier, Dobosz and Courchesne absent.

--Motion made by Councilor Labrie for a 10 minute recess extension because of issues with Zoom at 6:45.

--Motion made by Councilor Labrie to return to the regular order of business at 6:55. Motion passed by a unanimous roll call vote. Councilors Roy, Brooks, Balakier, Dobosz and Courchesne absent.

To the City Council:

You are hereby notified that I have this day appointed Joshua Clark of 517 McKinstry Ave., Chicopee, MA to the Anna E. Barry Elementary School Building Commission.

--Motion made by Councilor Labrie to approve each nominee individually. Motion to approve Josh Clark. Motion passed by a roll call vote of 8 yes, 1 abstained. Councilor Lopez abstained. Councilors Roy, Brooks, Dobosz and Courchesne absent.

To the City Council:

You are hereby notified that I have this day appointed Carissa Lisee of 78 Austin St., Chicopee, MA to the Anna E. Barry Elementary School Building Commission.

--Motion made by Councilor Labrie to approve Carissa Lisee. Motion passed by a unanimous roll call vote. Councilors Roy, Brooks, Dobosz and Courchesne absent.

To the City Council:

You are hereby notified that I have this day appointed Michael Sarnelli of 12 Dalton Ave., Chicopee, MA to the Anna E. Barry Elementary School Building Commission.

--Motion made by Councilor Labrie to approve Michael Sarnelli. Motion passed by a unanimous roll call vote. Councilors Roy, Brooks, Dobosz and Courchesne absent.

To the City Council:

You are hereby notified that I have this day appointed Stephen Morneau of 2 Hawthorn St., Chicopee, MA to the Anna E. Barry Elementary School Building Commission.

--Motion made by Councilor Labrie to approve Stephen Morneau. Motion passed by a unanimous roll call vote. Councilors Roy, Brooks, Dobosz and Courchesne absent.

To the City Council:

You are hereby notified that I have this day appointed Katie Collins-Kalbaugh of 14 Nawrocki Drive, Chicopee, MA to the Anna E. Barry Elementary School Building Commission.

--Motion made by Councilor Labrie to approve Katie Collins-Kalbaugh. Motion passed by a roll call vote of 8 yes, 1 abstained. Councilor McAuliffe abstained, Councilors Roy, Brooks, Dobosz and Courchesne absent.

Adjournment: --Motion made by Councilor Pniak-Costello to adjourn at 7:20. Motion passed by a unanimous roll call vote. Councilors Roy, Brooks, Dobosz and Courchesne absent.

ATTEST:



Keith W. Rattell, City Clerk